

REMARKS

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the Notice of Allowability stating that Claims 89-167, 170-183 and 185-190 have been Previously presented. Applicant hereby submits claim amendments to Claims 103, 133 and 138 and new dependent Claims 191-195. No new matter has been added.

In particular, Claims 103 has been amended to remove the phrase "in the upright direction" and "the upright" and Claim 138 as been amended to remove the phrase "a motorcycle having." In Claim 133, the term "actuator" has be amended to recite "one or more actuators" and to depend from Claim 146. Finally, new Claims 191-195 have been submitted, which all depend from previously presented Claim 89.

Applicant submits that the minor amendments to Claims 103, 133, and 138 are being filed to correct the scope sought by applicant. Applicant submits that new Claims 191-195 are being submitted to further claim subject matter that may otherwise, for example, be dedicated to the public as unclaimed subject matter. All claims that were either amended or added are dependent claims that depend from Claim 89, which was deemed allowable by the Notice of Allowance mailed October 17, 2007. Therefore, all pending claims are patentable and no further search is required. Finally, the desirability of the amendments to Claims 103, 133, and 138 and the subject matter of new Claims 191-195 were not known prior to the Notice of Allowance.

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